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Dear Sir:

This application was filed on November 12, 2003 and receipt acknowledged by the Patent Office in that the postcard was returned with the application serial number 10/706,059. An official filing receipt was received from the Patent Office on February 24, 2004. A Letter of Status Reply dated April 20, 2005 was received on April 26, 2005 stating that a first Office Action would be received in approximately zero months. However, no further papers have been received in this case.

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